

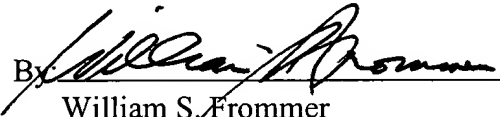
**REMARKS**

Claims 1-6 are allowed. Prosecution on the merits has been closed; and the Examiner requires a new Abstract.

By this amendment, a new Abstract, consistent with the Examiner's requirement, is submitted.

An early Notice of Allowance is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,  
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